

Pathways to Wellness

The Annual Community Conference on Mental Health Sunday April 22, 2012 - 9:00AM - 4:00PM (Doors open at 9:00AM) Temple Beth AM 1039 S. La Cienega · Los Angeles, Ca. 90035

Bob Whitaker - Keynote Speaker and Author of:

• Mad in America: Bad Science, Bad Medicine and the Enduring Mistreatment of the Mentally III • Anatomy of an Epidemic: Magic Bullets, Psychiatric Drugs, and the Astonishing Rise of Mental Illness in America

"Imagining a Different Future:

What History and Science Reveal is Possible in Mental Health."



Session 1 Speakers (12:30PM - 2:00PM)

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	1. Bob Whitaker, Author	Evidence-Based Solutions that Promote Robust Recovery: Open Dialogue Therapy in Finland, Exercise for Depression, and Other Promising Therapies
	2. Linda Gray Sexton, Author	Half In Love: Surviving the Legacy of Suicide
	3. Karen- Winters Schwartz, Author	Where Are the Cocoa Puffs? A Families Journey Through Bipolar Disorder
	4. Daniel Dorman, M.D. and Catherine Penney, RN	Psychotherapy of Schizophrenia Resulting in Full Recovery
	5. Joanna Poppink, MFT	One Person has an Eating Disorder, Another Wants to Help Her Get Well
95	6. Jerome Front	Mindful Care-taking: Maintaining Love and Loving Kindness in the Family in Times of Chaos, Shock and Stress
9 9	7. Dennis Lowe, Ph.D. and Emily Scott-Lowe, Ph.D.	Clinical Depression: A Personal and Professional Perspective on Recovery for Families and Individuals
	8. Melody J. Anderson, LCSW	The Double-Edged Sword: Effective Tools For Those Who Love The Dual-Diagnosed

Session 2 Speakers (2:30PM - 4:00PM)
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	9. Andrew F. Leuchter, MD	Depression and rTMS Therapy, A New and Exciting Alternative to Medication
	10. Dr. Michael Levittan	Healing Trauma: The Mind, The Brain, and the Family
	2. Linda Gray Sexton, Author	Half In Love: Surviving the Legacy of Suicide
	12. Howard Glasser	Transforming the Difficult Child - "At any Age" Awakening Greatness in the Even Most Difficult Child.
	13. Dr. Berit Kerner	Genomics and BiPolar Disorder. Is it Time For Personalized Medicine.
	Sanjeet Sihota, LCSW 14. Andy Behrman, Author Terri Cheney, Author	Living in Recovery: One Day at a Time
	15. Lynn Anderson, PHD	Combine Yoga and Dance for Happiness, Wellness and Fun.
	16. Fredda Wasserman	My Beloved Has a Mental Illness: Grieving The Real And Symbolic Losses